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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
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Hiroshi SUGIYAMA et al. ) Group Art Unit: 3622  
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Application No.: 09/753,450 ) Examiner: Myhre, James W.  
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Filed: January 4, 2001 )  
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For: SETTLEMENT SYSTEM USING ) Confirmation No.: 3423  
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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME


Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time to reply to the Office  
Action of June 30, 2004. A fee of \$110.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any  
additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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